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Explanation of the Characters used in the Calendar.

☉ or ☿ sun, ☾ new moon, ☽ full moon, ☾ first quarter, ☾ last quarter, ☿ mercury, ♀ venus, ⊕ the earth, ♂ mars, ♃ jupiter, ♄ saturn, ♅ herschell, or georgian, ☿ conjunction, or planets situated in the same longitude, ☐ quadrature, or planets situated three signs apart, ☿ opposition, or planets 180 degrees apart, N. north, S. south, inf. inferior, sup. superior, A. afternoon, M. morning, ☾ moon's ascendant, ☾ moon's descendant.

12 Signs of the Zodiac.



•• To know what part the sign governs on any day, look down the column of the moon's place, and opposite the day of the month you will find what sign the moon is in, and in the above figure you will find what part of the body the sign is said to govern; for example, January 20th, the moon enters the sign ♈ (Aries) to which the government of the head is assigned

FEBRUARY, 1839.

LUNAR CYCLES.

16	Solar Cycle,	28
16	Roman Indiction,	12
15	Julian Period,	6552

MOVEABLE FEASTS.

Septuagesima Sunday,	Jan. 27	Low Sunday,	April 7
Sexagesima Sunday,	Feb. 3	Rogation Sunday,	May 5
Quinq. or Shrove Sund.	Feb. 10	Ascen. or Holy Thurs.	May 9
Ash Wed. or 1st of Lent,	Feb. 13	Whit Sunday,	May 19
Palm Sunday,	March 24	Trinity Sunday,	May 26
Easter day,	March 31	Advent Sunday,	Dec. 1

ECLIPSES.

There are two this year, both of the sun.

First, of the Sun, March 15, invisible at Pittsburgh.

But will be totally and centrally eclipsed, at noon, in Longitude 30 de. 13 mi. W. of Greenwich, and Latitude 5 de. 59 mi. S.

Second, of the Sun, September 7, invisible.

But will be central and annular, at noon, in Longitude 154 de. 7 mi. W. of Greenwich, and Latitude 14 de. 49 mi. N.

Venus (♀) will be evening star until the 1st of October, then morning star until the end of the year.

GREAT AMERICAN LAKES.

Relative extent and elevation.—Lake Erie is 270 miles long, 60 miles wide, and 130 feet deep. Its surface has been ascertained to be about 565 feet above tide water at Albany. The bottom 445 feet above the surface of tide water.

Lake Huron is 250 miles long, averaging 100 miles in breadth, 900 feet deep, and its surface near 595 feet above, and the bottom 305 feet below, the surface of tide water.

Lake Michigan is 400 miles long, 50 wide, about 900 feet deep; its surface about 590 feet above, and the bottom 305 feet below, tide water.

Lake Ontario is 180 miles long, 40 wide, 500 feet deep; its surface 231 feet elevation above tide water at Three Rivers, below Cape Vincent. Bottom 269 feet below the surface of tide water.

Lake Superior is 480 miles long, averages 100 miles in breadth, 900 feet deep, and its surface 640 feet above tide. Bottom 305 feet below the surface of tide water.

Green Bay is about 100 miles long, 20 miles wide. Elevation the same as Huron and Michigan, and depth unknown.




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“Why, this is so short-waisted,” said a wag the other day, as he tried on a new coat, “that I shall have to get into a chair to put my hands into my pockets.”

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Simplicity.—A gentleman recently travelling in this country, called out to a boy, “Where does this road go to, my lad?” “Well, I don’t know where it goes, but it’s always here when I come along.”

Explanation of the Characters used in the Calendar.

First  new moon,  full moon,  first		mercury, ♀ venus, ⊕ the		herschell, or	
MOON'S PHASES.					
		D	H	M	
☾ Last Quar.	7	3	44	A	☾ First Quar. 22
☾ New Moon	15	9	33	M	☾ Full Moon 29 10 21 M

	D	D	Aspects and Observations.				
	W	M		rises	sets	slow	decl. S.
3	TU	1	Day 9h. 10m. long Fair 	7 25	4 35	' "	' "
4	WE	2	if wind be N. or N. E.	7 25	4 35	4 11	22 57
5	TH	3	rain or snow if S. or	7 24	4 36	4 39	22 52
6	FR	4	♀ sets 6 12. S. W.	7 24	4 36	5 7	22 46
7	SA	5		7 23	4 37	5 34	22 40
1	F	6	Fair	7 23	4 37	6 1	22 33
2	MO	7	☾ in Apogee and	7 22	4 38	6 27	22 26
3	TU	8	☾ ☐ ☉. mild	7 22	4 38	6 53	22 18
4	WE	9	♂ greatest Hel. lat. N.	7 21	4 39	7 18	22 10
5	TH	10	♂ rises 10 26	7 20	4 40	7 43	22 1
6	FR	11	☾ rises at 12	7 20	4 40	8 7	21 52
7	SA	12		7 19	4 41	8 31	21 43
1	F	13	♂ rises 3 57. ☾	7 18	4 42	8 54	21 33
2	MO	14	♀ in Aphelion.	7 17	4 43	9 16	21 22
3	TU	15	♂ stationary Cold rain if	7 16	4 44	9 38	21 12
4	WE	16		7 16	4 44	9 59	21 1
5	TH	17	wind be W.	7 15	4 45	10 19	20 49
6	FR	18		7 14	4 46	10 39	20 37
7	SA	19	☾ in Perigee snow if E.	7 13	4 47	10 58	20 25
1	F	20	☉ enters [☾] .	7 12	4 48	11 16	20 12
2	MO	21	♀ sets 6 54	7 12	4 48	11 34	19 59
3	TU	22	Day 9h. 38m. long. Snow	7 11	4 49	11 50	19 45
4	WE	23	Night 14h. 20m. l. and	7 10	4 50	12 6	19 32
5	TH	24	♂ rises 9 40. stormy.	7 9	4 51	12 21	19 18
6	FR	25	Arcturus south 10 4	7 8	4 52	12 35	19 3
7	SA	26	♂ gr. elongation W. ☾	7 7	4 53	12 49	18 48
1	F	27	☾ greatest Hel. lat. N.	7 6	4 54	13 1	18 33
2	MO	28	☾ rises 11 0.	7 4	4 56	13 13	18 17
3	TU	29	Cold with high	7 3	4 57	13 24	18 2
4	WE	30	♂ in Aphelion wind.	7 2	4 58	13 34	17 45
5	TH	31		7 1	4 59	13 44	17 29

Every one to his taste.—The principal animal food of the inhabitants of Mangain, one of the Hervey Islands, according to Mr. Williams, the Missionary, is large fat rats. They are pronounced "sweet and good,"—indeed a common expression with the natives, when speaking of any thing delicious, is, "It is sweet as a rat."

M	South		pr	domin.	age
1	1	1	6	35	25
2	2	5	7	39	2
3	2	53	8	46	24
4	3	38	9	45	2
5	4	19	10	46	18
6	4	59	11	41	2
7	5	38	morn.	12	
8	6	17	0	41	24
9	6	59	1	42	2
10	7	43	2	45	18
11	8	31	3	50	1
12	9	23	4	51	13
13	10	19	5	57	26
14	even.	sets	2	5	23
15	0	16	4	52	23
16	1	13	6	3	2
17	2	7	7	20	21
18	2	58	8	34	2
19	3	47	9	47	19
20	4	35	10	55	2
21	5	23	morn.	18	
22	6	13	0	7	8
23	7	7	1	20	16
24	8	3	2	33	2
25	9	2	3	47	13
26	10	2	5	0	27
27	11	0	6	0	2
28	11	54	rises	24	
29	morn.	5	23	2	19
30	0	45	6	28	19
31	1	31	7	33	2

may be expected about the 2d, 14th, and 23d of this month, the day before or day after.

THE THREE BRIDES.

Towards the close of a chilly afternoon, in the latter part of November, I was travelling in New Hampshire on horseback. The road was solitary and rugged, and wound along through gloomy pine forests, over abrupt and stony hills. I stopped at an inn, a two story brick building, standing back from the road.

In the morning I rose early and took a look from the window, but the prospect was very uninviting. Afar, in the most distant part of the field, a man was busily engaged in digging a grave. There was something within that impelled me to stroll forth and accost him. I passed on to where the grave digger was pursuing his occupation. He answered my morning salutation civilly enough, but continued intent upon his work. He was a man about fifty years of age, spare, but strong, with gray hair and sunken cheeks, and certain lines about the mouth, which argued a propensity to indulge in dry jest, though the sternness of his gray eyes seemed to contradict the tacit assertion.

'An unpleasant morning, sir, to work in the open air,' said I.



D	M	South.	ris	pl.	domin.	age	Rain or snow, more or less, may be expected about
1	2	14	8 34	♄	bowels	17	the 1st, 7th, 16th and 27th
2	2	54	9 31	26		18	of this month, the day before
3	3	34	10 30	♌	reins	19	or day after.
4	4	13	11 28	20		20	
5	4	53	morn. 11	♍	loins	21	'He that regardeth the clouds
6	5	35	0 29	14		22	shall not reap,' replied the grave
7	6	21	1 31	26		23	digger, still busily plying his spade.
8	7	11	2 39	♋	thighs	24	'Death stalks abroad, fair and foul
9	8	4	3 42	21		25	day, and we that follow in his foot-
10	9	1	4 39	♊	knees	26	steps must prepare for the dead,
11	10	0	5 33	17		27	rain or shine.'
12	10	58	6 17	♏	legs	28	'A melancholy occupation.'
13	even.	sets	15			29	'A fit one for a moralist. Some
14	0	47	6 12	29		0	would find a pleasure in it. Dea-
15	1	38	7 28	♈	feet	1	con Giles, I am sure, would wil-
16	2	28	8 38	29		2	lingly be in my place now.'
17	3	18	9 52	♏	head	3	'And why so?'
18	4	9	11 8	28		4	'This grave is for his wife,' re-
19	5	2	morn. 8	neck		5	plied the grave digger, looking up
20	5	58	0 24	27		6	from his occupation with a dry
21	6	57	1 37	♏	arms	7	smile that wrinkled his sallow
22	7	56	2 50	24		8	cheeks and distorted his shrunken
23	8	54	3 54	♏	breast	9	lips. Perceiving that his merri-
24	9	49	4 52	20		10	ment was not infectious, he resu-
25	10	40	ris	♏	heart	11	med his employment, and that so
26	11	27	4 16	16		12	insidiously, that in a very short
27	morn.	5 22	28			13	time he had hollowed the last rest-
28	0 10	6 24	♄	bowels	14		ing place of Deacon Giles' con-
							sort. This done, he ascended
							from the trench with a lightness
							that surprised me, and walking a
							few paces from the new made
							grave, sat down upon a tombstone
							and beckoned me to approach.
							I did so.

'Young man,' said he, 'a sexton and a grave digger, if he is one who has a zeal for his calling, becomes something of a historian, amassing many a curious tale and strange legend concerning the

Third Month, March, 31 days.

MOON'S PHASES.

	D	H	M		D	H	M
☾ Last Quar.	8	8	11 M	☽ First Quar	29	8	50 M
☾ New Moon	15	8	52 M	☾ Full Moon			

	D	D	Aspects and Observations.	☾ rises	☾ sets	☾ slow	☾ decl. S.
	W	M					
6	FR	1	☾ ☾ ☾.	6 25	5 35		7 20
7	SA	2	☾ in Aphelion.	6 24	5 36	12 29	7
1	F	3	☾ ☾ ☾. ☾ ☾ ☾	6 23	5 37	12 16	6 57
2	MO	4	☾ in Apogee	6 22	5 38	12 3	6 34
3	TU	5	☾ sets 7 21.	6 20	5 40	11 50	6 11
4	WE	6	☾ rises 8 26	6 19	5 41	11 36	5 48
5	TH	7	Day 11h. 26m. long. Cold	6 17	5 43	11 21	5 25
6	FR	8	☾ ☾ ☾. ☾ ☾ ☾. rain	6 16	5 44	11 7	5 2
7	SA	9	if wind be W. ☾	6 15	5 45	10 51	4 38
1	F	10	☾ rises 6 3 snow if E.	6 13	5 47	10 36	4 15
2	MO	11		6 12	5 48	10 20	3 51
3	TU	12	☾ ☾ ☾	6 11	5 49	10 4	3 28
4	WE	13	☾ in sup. ☾ ☾	6 10	5 50	9 48	3 4
5	TH	14	☾ ☾ ☾	6 9	5 51	9 31	2 40
6	FR	15	☾ eclipsed.	6 7	5 53	9 14	2 17
7	SA	16	☾ in Perigee Changeable	6 6	5 54	8 57	1 53
1	F	17	weather.	6 5	5 55	8 40	1 29
2	MO	18	☾ south 11 40	6 3	5 57	8 22	1 6
3	TU	19	☾ rises 7 26	6 2	5 58	8 4	0 42
4	WE	20	☾ stationary	6 1	5 59	7 46	0 18
5	TH	21	☾ enters ♈ Spring co. ☾	6 0	6 0	7 28	North
6	FR	22	☾ rises 11 48 Hard frost	5 59	6 1	7 10	0 28
7	SA	23	☾ in ♈ unless wind be S.	5 58	6 2	6 52	0 52
1	F	24	or W.	5 57	6 3	6 33	1 16
2	MO	25	☾ sets 8 7	5 55	6 5	6 15	1 39
3	TU	26	☾ rises 4 26.	5 53	6 7	5 56	2 3
4	WE	27		5 52	6 8	5 37	2 26
5	TH	28	☾ ☾ ☾. ☾ in Perihelion	5 51	6 9	5 19	2 50
6	FR	29	Rain or snow.	5 50	6 10	5 0	3 13
7	SA	30	☾ ☾ ☾.	5 49	6 11	4 42	3 36
1	F	31	☾ in Apogee	5 47	6 13	4 23	4 0

A person in Owesry impertinently accosted the late Bishop of Asaph, as follows:

"My Lord, does the devil wear a wig like you, or is he bare head."

"Wait awhile, my man," said the prelate, "and you shall see!"

D	C	M	south.	rises	pl.	domin.
1	0	51	7	21	22	
2	1	31	8	20	reins	
3	2	10	9	18	16	
4	2	50	10	18	28	
5	3	31	11	21	loins	
6	4	15	morn.	22		
7	5	2	0	26	thighs	
8	5	53	1	26	16	
9	6	48	2	26	29	
10	7	44	3	22	knees	
11	8	41	4	9	25	
12	9	37	4	47	legs	
13	10	31	5	18	23	
14	even.		sets	X	feet	
15	0	15	6	18	22	
16	1	6	7	29	head	
17	1	58	8	50	23	
18	2	52	10	6	neck	
19	3	49	11	24	22	
20	4	49	morn.	II	arms	
21	5	49	0	37	21	
22	6	49	1	47	breast	
23	7	45	2	47	17	
24	8	37	3	33	heart	
25	9	25	4	12	13	
26	10	9	4	39	25	
27	10	50	rises	bowels		
28	11	30	5	17	19	
29	morn.		6	12	reins	
30	0	9	7	9	13	
31	0	48	8	8	25	

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may be expected about the
1st, 8th, 17th and 28th days
of this month, the day before
or day after.

people with whom he has to do,
living and dead. For a man with
a taste for his profession, cannot
provide for the last repose of his
fellows, without taking an interest
in their story, the manner of
death, and the concern of the relatives
who follow their remains so fearfully
to the grave.

'Then,' replied I, taking a seat
beside the sexton, 'methinks you
could relate some interesting
tales.'

Again the withering smile that
I had before observed passed over
the face of the sexton as he answered—

'I am no story-teller, sir; I deal in
fact, not fiction. Yes, yes, I could
chronicle some strange events.
But of all things I know, there is
nothing stranger to you than the
melancholy history of the three
brides.'

'The three brides?'

'Ay. Do you see three hillocks
yonder, side by side? There they
sleep, and will till the last trumpet
comes wailing through the heart
of these lone hills, with a tone so
strange and stirring, that the dead
will start from their graves at its
first awful note. Then will come
the judgment and the retribution.

	Day	Time	Event	Weather	Hour	Minute	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	Sixth	Seventh	Eighth	Ninth	Tenth
0	SA	6	h rises 10 52	☾	5	41	6	19	2	52	5	55			
7	SA	6	h south 10 2	Fair	5	40	6	20	2	35	6	18			
1	F	7	☿ gr. elongation.	weather	5	38	6	22	2	17	6	40			
2	MO	8	♂ south 11 40		5	36	6	24	2	0	7	3			
3	TU	9	Night 11h. 10m. long.		5	35	6	25	1	43	7	25			
4	WE	10			5	34	6	26	1	26	7	47			
5	TH	11			5	33	6	27	1	10	8	10			
6	FR	12		Fair.	5	32	6	28	0	54	8	32			
7	SA	13	☾ in Perigee		5	31	6	29	0	38	8	54			
1	F	14			5	29	6	31	0	22	9	15			
2	MO	15	☿ ☿ ☾		5	28	6	32	fast		9	37			
3	TU	16			5	27	6	33	0	7	9	50			
4	WE	17	☿ stationary		5	26	6	34	0	21	10	20			
5	TH	18	♂ south 11 1	☾	5	25	6	35	0	36	10	41			
6	FR	19	♀ sets 9 6.		5	24	6	36	0	49	11	2			
7	SA	20	Frequent showers.		5	22	6	38	1	3	11	22			
1	F	21	♂ south 8 56.		5	20	6	40	1	16	11	43			
2	MO	22	h rises 9 42		5	18	6	42	1	28	12	3			
3	TU	23			5	17	6	43	1	40	12	23			
4	WE	24	♂ stationary		5	16	6	44	1	52	12	43			
5	TH	25			5	15	6	45	2	3	13	3			
6	FR	26	♂ ☿ ☾.		5	14	6	46	2	14	13	23			
7	SA	27	☾ in Apogee.		5	13	6	47	2	24	13	42			
1	F	28	Changeable		5	11	6	49	2	34	14	1			
2	MO	29	♂ south 10 13.		5	10	6	50	2	43	14	20			
3	TU	30	♀ in ☿		5	9	6	51	2	52	14	38			

The Law Magazine relates an anecdote of Davy—a distinguished lawyer in the time of Lord Mansfield—that being once called to account by his brethren on the western circuit, for disgracing the profession, by accepting silver of a client, he replied—"I took silver, because I could not get gold; but I took every sixpence the fellow had in the world—and I hope you don't call that disgracing the profession."



D	☾	☾	☾	☾'s	☾	☾
M	south.	rises	pl.	domin.	age	
1	1 29	9 14	m	loins	16	Rain, more or less, may be expected about the 2d,
2	2 12	10 13	18		17	9th, 19th, and 28th of this
3	2 58	11 15	↑	thighs	18	month, the day before or day
4	3 47	morn.	13		19	after.
5	4 40	0 18	25		20	But to my tale. Look there, sir,
6	5 34	1 12	W	knees	21	on yonder hill, you may observe
7	6 29	2 2	20		22	a little isolated house, with a strag-
8	7 24	2 43	W	legs	23	gling fence in front, and a few
9	8 17	3 15	17		24	stunted apple trees on the ascent
10	9 9	3 44	X	feet	25	behind it.
11	9 59	4 9	16		26	It is sadly out of repair now,
12	10 50	4 40	♀	head	27	and the garden is all overgrown
13	even	sets	16		28	with weeds and brambles, and
14	0 35	7 34	8	neck	29	the whole place has a desolate
15	1 32	8 55	16		1	appearance. If the wind were
16	2 33	10 17	Π	arms	2	high now, you might hear the old
17	3 36	11 34	16		3	crazy shutters flapping against the
18	4 38	morn.	25	breast	4	sides, and the wind tearing the
19	5 38	0 36	14		5	gray shingles off the roof.
20	6 33	1 31	27		6	Many years ago, there lived an
21	7 22	2 12	Q	heart	7	old man and his son, who cultiva-
22	8 8	2 40	22		8	ted the few acres of arable land
23	8 50	3 11	W	bowels	9	which belongs to it.
24	9 30	3 31	16		10	The father was a self-taught
25	10 9	rises	28		11	man, deeply versed in the myste-
26	10 48	5 2	2	reins	12	ries of science, and as he could
27	11 28	6 3	22		13	tell the name of every flower that
28	morn.	7 4	m	loins	14	blossomed in the wood and grew
29	0 10	8 5	16		15	in the garden; and used to sit up
30	0 55	9 8	27		16	late at nights at his books, or read-

of the place, who showed some willingness to afford him counte-

Fifth Month, May, 31 days.

MOON'S PHASES.

	D	H	M		D	H	M
☾ Last Quar.	6	10	22 M	☽ First Quar.	20	1	6 M
☾ New Moon	13	1	50 M	☾ Full Moon	28	5	25 M

	D	D	Aspects and Observations.	☾ rises	☾ sets	☾ fast	☾'s decl. N.
	W	M					
4	WE	1	☾ sets 9 32	5 8	6 52	1 "	0 "
5	TH	2	☽ south 8 14	5 7	6 53	3 8	15 15
6	FR	3	☾ south 9 56	5 6	6 54	3 15	15 33
7	SA	4	☾ rises 8 48	5 5	6 55	3 22	15 50
1	F	5	Regulus south 7 11	5 3	6 57	3 28	16 8
2	MO	6	☾ gr. Hel. lat. S. Frequent	5 2	6 58	3 33	16 25
3	TU	7	☾ in Perihelion showers	5 1	6 59	3 38	16 42
4	WE	8	☾ ☽ ☾.	4 59	7 1	3 42	16 58
5	TH	9	☾ stationary	4 58	7 2	3 46	17 15
6	FR	10	☾ in Aphelion	4 57	7 3	3 49	17 30
7	SA	11	☾ ☽ ☾	4 56	7 4	3 51	17 46
1	F	12	☾ in Perigee	4 56	7 4	3 53	18 2
2	MO	13	Fair weather	4 55	7 5	3 55	18 17
3	TU	14	Arcturus south 10 44	4 54	7 6	3 55	18 32
4	WE	15	☾ ☽ ☾	4 53	7 7	3 55	18 46
5	TH	16	☽ south 7 28	4 52	7 8	3 54	19 0
6	FR	17	☾ south 8 57	4 51	7 9	3 53	19 14
7	SA	18	☾ sets 10 3	4 50	7 10	3 51	19 27
1	F	19	☾ south 12 37	4 49	7 11	3 48	19 41
2	MO	20	Fair and	4 48	7 12	3 45	19 53
3	TU	21	☽ ☽ ☾ pleasant.	4 48	7 12	3 41	20 6
4	WE	22	Antares south 12 23	4 47	7 13	3 37	20 18
5	TH	23	☾ ☽ ☾	4 46	7 14	3 32	20 30
6	FR	24	☾ in Apogee	4 45	7 15	3 27	20 41
7	SA	25	☾ gr. elongation	4 44	7 16	3 22	20 53
1	F	26		4 44	7 16	3 16	21 3
2	MO	27		4 43	7 17	3 9	21 14
3	TU	28	☾ ☽ ☾ Rain.	4 42	7 18	3 2	21 24
4	WE	29	☾ ☽ ☾	4 41	7 19	2 54	21 33
5	TH	30	☾ gr. Hel. lat. N.	4 40	7 20	2 46	21 43
6	FR	31	☾ gr. Hel. lat. S.	4 40	7 20	2 38	21 52

Walter Scott on his death bed.—Addressing his son-in-law, the dying Scott said—"Lockhart, I may have but a minute to speak to you. My dear, be a good man—be virtuous—be religious. Nothing else will give you any comfort when you come to lie here."

A little wrong done to another, is a great wrong done to ourselves.



D	C	C	C	C's	(Rain, more or less, may be
M	south	rises	pl.	domin.	age	expected about the 1st, 7th,
1	1 44	10 8	†	thighs	17	16th and 28th of this month,
2	2 35	11 7	22		18	the day before or day after.
3	3 29	11 57	13	knees	19	
4	4 24	morn.	17		20	nance, but they soon dropped his
5	5 18	0 42	22	legs	21	acquaintance, for they found the
6	6 10	1 16	13		22	old man somewhat morose and
7	7 0	1 47	26		23	reserved, and moreover their va-
8	7 49	2 13	26	feet	24	nity was wounded by discovering
9	8 38	2 38	24		25	the extent of his knowledge. To
10	9 27	3 4	24	head	26	the minister he would quote the
11	10 18	3 30	24		27	fathers and the scriptures in the
12	even	sets	8	neck	28	original tongue, and showed him-
13	0 13	7 48	24		29	self well armed with the weapons
14	1 16	9 4	24	arms	1	of polemical controversy. He as-
15	2 21	10 7	24		2	tonished the lawyer with his pro-
16	3 24	11 17	22	breast	3	found acquaintance with jurispru-
17	4 22	morn.	22		4	dence, and the physician was sur-
18	5 16	0 6	18	heart	5	prised at the extent of his medical
19	6 4	0 42	18		6	knowledge. So they all deserted
20	6 48	1 11	13	bowels	7	him; and the minister, for the old
21	7 28	1 3	13		8	man differed in some trifling
22	8 8	1 53	25		9	points of doctrine, spoke very
23	8 47	2 8	25	reins	10	slightly of him; and by and by all
24	9 27	2 40	19		11	looked upon the self-educated far-
25	10 8	rises	12	loins	12	mer with eyes of aversion. But
26	10 54	6 1	12		13	he cared not for that, for he de-
27	11 40	6 59	20		14	rived his consolation from loftier
28	morn.	8 4	19	thighs	15	resources, and in the untracked
29	0 31	9 3	19		16	paths of science found a pleasure
30	1 25	9 57	17	knees	17	as in the pathless woods. He in-
31	2 19	10 42	14		18	structed his son in all his lore—the

Sixth Month, June, 30 days.

MOON'S PHASES.

	D	H	M		D	H	M
☾ <i>Last Quar.</i>	4	6	16 A	☽ <i>First Quar.</i>	18	4	41 A
● <i>New Moon</i>	11	9	22 M	○ <i>Full Moon</i>	26	6	40 A

	D	D	Aspects and Observations.	☺ rises	☺ sets	☺ fast	☺ decl. N.
	W	M					
7	SA	1	♀ sets 10 14	4 40	7 20	' "	' '
1	F	2	♂ south 6 41	4 40	7 20	2 29	22 8
2	MO	3	♂ south 7 48	4 39	7 21	2 20	22 16
3	TU	4	Regulus south 5 12	4 39	7 21	2 10	22 23
4	WE	5	<i>Fair if wind</i>	4 38	7 22	2 0	22 30
5	TH	6	♂ stationary <i>be N. W.</i>	4 38	7 22	1 50	22 37
6	FR	7	☿ ☐ ☉. <i>rainy if south</i>	4 37	7 23	1 39	22 43
7	SA	8	♂ south 11 12 <i>or</i>	4 36	7 24	1 28	22 49
1	F	9	☾ in Perigee <i>S. W.</i>	4 36	7 24	1 16	22 54
2	MO	10		4 35	7 25	1 5	22 59
3	TU	11	Arcturus south 8 52 ☾	4 35	7 25	0 53	23 4
4	WE	12	♀ sets 10 12 <i>Changeable</i>	4 35	7 25	0 41	23 8
5	TH	13		4 35	7 25	0 28	23 12
6	FR	14		4 34	7 26	0 16	23 15
7	SA	15	♂ south 6 8	4 34	7 26	slow	23 18
1	F	16	♂ south 6 57	4 34	7 26	0 9	23 21
2	MO	17	♂ ☐ ☉	4 34	7 26	0 22	23 23
3	TU	18	<i>Fair weather</i>	4 33	7 27	0 34	23 25
4	WE	19	♂ in ☉	4 33	7 27	0 47	23 26
5	TH	20		4 33	7 27	1 1	23 27
6	FR	21	☾ in Apogee ☿ stationary	4 33	7 27	1 13	23 27
7	SA	22	☉ enters ♄. <i>Sum. com.</i>	4 33	7 27	1 26	23 27
1	F	23		4 33	7 27	1 39	23 27
2	MO	24	♂ in Perihelion	4 33	7 27	1 52	23 26
3	TU	25	♂ south 10 <i>Fair if wind</i>	4 33	7 27	2 5	23 25
4	WE	26	♂ in Sup. ☉ <i>be N. W.</i> ☾	4 33	7 27	2 17	23 23
5	TH	27	<i>rainy if S. or</i>	4 34	7 26	2 30	23 21
6	FR	28	♂ south 6 12 <i>S. W.</i>	4 34	7 26	2 42	23 19
7	SA	29	♀ sets 10 2	4 34	7 26	2 54	23 16
1	F	30		4 34	7 26	3 6	23 13

Pardon is a glorious kind of revenge; I think myself sufficiently revenged of my enemy if I pardon him. Cicero did more commend Cæsar for pardoning Metullus, than for the great victory obtained over his enemies.

Have not to do with any man in his passion, for men are not like iron, to be wrought upon when they are hot.

JUNE, 1839.



D	C	C	C	C	age	
M	south.	rises	pl	domin.		<i>Rain, more or less, may be expected about the 5th, 11th and 26th of this month, the day before or day after.</i>
1	3 14	11 16	27		19	
2	4 6	11 48	22	legs	20	
3	4 57	morn.	23		21	shattered dwelling, and the light-
4	5 45	0 17	24	feet	22	ning played above the roof; and
5	6 30	0 39	20		23	though he went to heaven in faith
6	7 19	1 6	24	head	24	and purity, the vulgar thought and
7	8 8	1 31	19		25	said the Evil One had claimed his
8	9 0	1 57	8	neck	26	own in the thunder and commo-
9	9 55	2 33	18		27	tion of the elements. I cannot
10	even.	sets	11	arms	28	paint to you the grief of the son
11	0 10	8 3	18		29	at his hereavement. He was for
12	1 4	9 2	26	breast	0	a time as one distracted. He
13	2 6	9 54	17		1	sought to bury his grief in his
14	3 3	10 38	8	heart	2	thirst for fame. After his thirst
15	3 55	11 9	14		3	was gratified, he began to yearn
16	4 42	11 37	27		4	for the companionship of some
17	5 24	11 58	22	bowels	5	sweet being of the other sex, to
18	6 5	morn	21		6	share the laurels he had won—to
19	6 44	0 18	21	reins	7	whisper consolation in his ear in
20	7 24	0 41	15		8	moments of despondency, and to
21	8 5	1 3	27		9	supply the void which the death
22	8 48	1 22	22	loins	10	of his old father had occasioned.
23	9 35	1 50	21		11	He would picture to himself the
24	10 25	rises	1	thighs	12	felicity of a refined, intellectual
25	11 18	6 56	15		13	and beautiful woman, and as he
26	morn.	7 51	28		14	had chosen for his motto, 'what
27	0 13	8 36	23	knees	15	has been done may still be done,'
28	1 8	9 17	23		16	he did not despair of success.
29	2 2	9 52	22	legs	17	In this village lived three sisters,
30	2 54	10 18	20		18	all beautiful and accomplished.

Adelaide was a few years older, was dark haired and pensive; but of the three, Madeline, the eldest,

Seventh Month, July, 31 days.

MOON'S PHASES.

	D	H	M		D	H	M
☾ <i>Last Quar.</i>	3	11	54 A	☽ <i>First Quar.</i>	18	9	42 M
● <i>New Moon</i>	10	5	41 A	○ <i>Full Moon</i>	26	6	6 M

	D	D	<i>Aspects and Observations.</i>	☼ rises	☼ sets	☼ slow	☼ decl. N.
	W	M					
2	MO	1	Arcturus south 7 29	4 34	7 26	/ //	o /
3	TU	2	♄ □ ☉	4 35	7 25	3 30	23 9
4	WE	3	☉ in Apogee <i>Pleasant</i>	4 35	7 25	3 41	23 5
5	TH	4	♀ greatest Hel. lat. N.	4 36	7 24	3 52	23 1
6	FR	5	♀ sets 9 56 <i>weather.</i>	4 36	7 24	4 3	22 56
7	SA	6		4 37	7 23	4 14	22 51
1	F	7	☾ in Perigee	4 37	7 23	4 24	22 45
2	MO	8	♂ sets 11 11	4 38	7 22	4 33	22 39
3	TU	9	♄ sets 11 22	4 39	7 21	4 43	22 33
4	WE	10	♂ south 8 58	4 39	7 21	4 52	22 26
5	TH	11	<i>Light showers</i>	4 40	7 20	5 1	22 19
6	FR	12	♂ in ☿	4 40	7 20	5 9	22 11
7	SA	13	Day 14h 40m long.	4 40	7 20	5 17	22 3
1	F	14		4 41	7 19	5 24	21 55
2	MO	15	Antares south 8 41	4 41	7 19	5 31	21 46
3	TU	16		4 42	7 18	5 37	21 37
4	WE	17		4 43	7 17	5 43	21 27
5	TH	18	♀ sets 9 33 <i>Changeable</i>	4 44	7 16	5 48	21 18
6	FR	19	☾ in Apogee ♂ ♂ ♄	4 44	7 16	5 53	21 8
7	SA	20		4 45	7 15	5 57	20 57
1	F	21		4 46	7 14	6 0	20 46
2	MO	22	♂ sets 10 34	4 47	7 13	6 3	20 35
3	TU	23	Night 9h 36m long	4 48	7 12	6 6	20 23
4	WE	24	♀ in ☿	4 48	7 12	6 7	20 11
5	TH	25		4 49	7 11	6 9	19 59
6	FR	26	♄ sets 9 22 <i>Wind</i>	4 50	7 10	6 9	19 46
7	SA	27	♀ in ☿ <i>and rain</i>	4 51	7 9	6 9	19 33
1	F	28	♀ greatest elong.	4 52	7 8	6 9	19 20
2	MO	29		4 53	7 7	6 8	19 7
3	TU	30	♂ south 7 37	4 54	7 6	6 6	18 53
4	WE	31		4 55	7 5	6 4	18 38

It was a good reply of Plato, to one who murmured at his reproving him for a small matter;—Custom, says he, is no small matter; a custom or habit of life does frequently alter the natural inclination either to good or evil.

Many come to bring their clothes to church rather than themselves.



D	C	C	C	C's	A	Rain, more or less, with
M	south.	rises	pl	domin.	age	thunder, may be expected
1	3 43	10 44	X	feet	19	about the 9th, 18th, and 26th
2	4 30	11 7	17		20	of this month, the day before
3	5 17	11 34	Y	head	21	or day after.
4	6 4	morn.	15		22	possessed the most fire, spirit, and
5	6 53	0 1	29		23	intellectual ability. Their father
6	7 46	0 32	8	neck	24	was a man of taste and education,
7	8 43	1 7	28		25	and being somewhat above vulgar
8	9 44	1 51	II	arms	26	prejudice, permitted the visits of
9	10 47	2 49	27		27	the hero of my story. When he
10	even.	sets	25	breast	28	found an affection springing up
11	0 49	8 33	25		29	between Mary and the poet, he
12	1 43	9 5	Q	heart	1	did not withhold his consent from
13	2 33	9 36	22		2	her marriage, and the recluse bore
14	3 18	9 59	m	bowels	3	to the solitary mansion the young
15	4 0	10 23	17		4	bride of his affections. Oh, sir,
16	4 40	10 47	29		5	the house assumed a new appear-
17	5 20	11 6	2	reins	6	ance within and without. Roses
18	6 0	11 25	23		7	bloomed in the garden; jessamines
19	6 42	11 48	m	loins	8	peeped through the lattices, and
20	7 28	morn.	17		9	the fields about it smiled with the
21	8 16	0 18	29		10	effects of careful cultivation.—
22	9 8	0 52	1	thighs	11	Lights were seen in the little par-
23	10 5	rises	24		12	lor in the evening, and many a
24	10 59	6 32	13	knees	13	time would the passenger pause
25	11 54	7 13	19		14	by the garden gate to listen to
26	morn.	7 49	m	legs	15	strains of the sweetest music,
27	0 47	8 21	16		16	breathed by coral voices from the
28	1 38	8 48	X	feet	17	cottage. If the mysterious stu-
29	2 27	9 12	14		18	dent and his wife were neglected,
30	3 15	9 39	28		19	what cared they? Their endear-
31	4 2	10 3	Y	head	20	ing and mutual affection made
						their home a little paradise; but
						death came to Eden. Mary fell
						suddenly sick, and, after a few
						hours' sickness died in the arms of
						her husband. This was the stu-
						dent's second heavy affliction.
						Days and months rolled on, and

Eighth Month, August, 31 days.

MOON'S PHASES

	D	H	M		D	H	M
☾ Last Quar.	2	4	29 ^M	○ Full Moon	24	4	17 ^A
☉ New Moon	9	3	58 ^M	☾ Last Quar.	31	9	27 ^M
☾ First Quar.	17	3	17 ^M				

	D	D	Aspects and Observations.	☼ rises	☼ sets	☼ slow	☼ decl. N.
	W	M					
5	TH	1	☾ in Perigee	4 56	7 4	1 11	0 1
6	FR	2	♀ sets 9 11 <i>Rain.</i>	4 57	7 3	5 57	17 54
7	SA	3	♂ sets 10 2	4 58	7 2	5 53	17 38
1	F	4	♂ south 7 17	4 58	7 2	5 49	17 23
2	MO	5	♀ greatest elongation ☾	4 59	7 1	5 43	17 7
3	TU	6	Antares south 7 14	5 07	0	5 38	16 51
4	WE	7	♀ in Aphelion	5 16	59	5 31	16 34
5	TH	8	♂ stationary <i>Cold, with</i>	5 36	57	5 24	16 17
6	FR	9	♂ sets 9 42 <i>frequent</i>	5 46	56	5 17	16 0
7	SA	10	Altair south 10 23	5 56	55	5 9	15 43
1	F	11	<i>showers</i>	5 66	54	5 0	15 25
2	MO	12		5 76	53	4 51	15 7
3	TU	13	♂ ☾ ☾	5 86	52	4 41	14 49
4	WE	14		5 96	51	4 30	14 31
5	TH	15	♂ south 6 34	5 116	49	4 19	14 12
6	FR	16	☾ in Apogee	5 120	40	4 8	13 54
7	SA	17	<i>Cooling</i>	5 136	47	3 56	13 35
1	F	18	7 *'s rises 10 20	5 156	45	3 43	13 16
2	MO	19	♀ stationary <i>showers.</i> ☾	5 166	44	3 30	12 56
3	TU	20	Day 13h 26m long	5 176	43	3 16	12 36
4	WE	21	♀ sets 8 12	5 186	42	3 2	12 17
5	TH	22	♂ sets 9 16	5 196	41	2 48	11 57
6	FR	23	♂ sets 8 31	5 206	40	2 33	11 36
7	SA	24	<i>Fair weather</i>	5 226	38	2 17	11 16
1	F	25		5 236	37	2 1	10 56
2	MO	26	♀ in Aphelion	5 246	36	1 45	10 35
3	TU	27	☾ in Perigee	5 266	34	1 28	10 14
4	WE	28	♂ ☐ ☉	5 276	33	1 11	9 53
5	TH	29		5 286	32	0 54	9 32
6	FR	30	♀ at gr. brilliancy <i>Change-</i>	5 296	31	0 36	9 10
7	SA	31	Fomalhaut S. 12 10 <i>able.</i>	5 306	30	0 18	8 49

A gentleman, whose son had lately died, was visited by a neighbor, who began to condole with him on his loss. "My loss!" exclaimed the father; "no such thing. It's his own loss—he was of age."

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1	4	51	10	31	26	
2	5	42	11	6	8	neck
3	6	36	11	47	24	
4	7	35	morn. □			arms
5	8	36	0	38	23	
6	9	38	1	40	25	breast
7	10	37	2	49	20	
8	even. sets		8			heart
9	0	24	7	35	17	
10	1	11	8	3	12	bowels
11	1	54	8	24	13	
12	2	35	8	45	25	
13	3	15	9	8	21	reins
14	3	55	9	27	19	
15	4	37	9	50	11	loins
16	5	21	10	19	13	
17	6	7	10	48	25	
18	6	58	11	25	1	thighs
19	7	51	morn			
20	8	46	0	13	13	knees
21	9	41	1	8	14	
22	10	36	rises			
23	11	28	6	22	22	legs
24	morn.		6	47	25	
25	0	19	7	11	2	feet
26	1	8	7	43	20	
27	1	56	8	5	1	head
28	2	46	8	31	22	
29	3	37	9	6	8	neck
30	4	32	9	45	21	
31	5	29	10	32	11	arms

21 18th and 30th of this month,
22 the day before or day after.

23 the only solace of the bereaved
24 was to set with the family of the
25 deceased and talk of the lost one.
26 At length to Adelaide he offered
27 his widowed heart. She came to
28 his lone home like the dove, bear-
29 ing the olive branch of peace and
consolation. But their bridal was
1 not one of revelry and mirth, for
2 a sad recollection brooded over
3 the hour. Yet they lived happily,
4 the husband again smiled, and
5 with a new spring, the roses again
6 blossomed in their garden. When
7 the rose withered, and the leaf
8 fell, in the mellow autumn of the
9 year, Adelaide too, sickened and
10 died, like her younger sister, in
the arms of her husband and of
Madeline.

11 Perhaps you think it strange,
12 that after all, the wretched survi-
13 vor stood at the altar again. But
14 he was a mysterious being, whose
15 ways were inscrutable, who thirst-
16 ing for domestic bliss, was doom-
17 ed ever to seek and never to find
18 it. His third bride was Madeline.
19 I well remember her. She was a
20 beauty in the true sense of the
21 word. It may seem strange to
22 you to hear the praise of beauty
from such lips as mine; but I can-
not avoid expatiating upon hers.
She was a proud creature with a
tall commanding form and raven



D	C	C	C	C's	A	Rain, more or less, may be expected about the 1st, 14th, and 26th of this month, the day before or day after
M	South	rises	al.	domin.	age	
1	6 30	11 23	19		23	
2	7 31	morn.	25	breast	24	
3	8 31	0 38	17		25	
4	9 27	1 48	8	heart	26	
5	10 18	2 56	13		27	
6	11 6	4 7	26		28	
7	even.	set	22	bowels	29	
8	0 31	6 48	21		0	
9	1 11	7 11	2	reins	1	
10	1 52	7 31	15		2	
11	2 33	7 54	27		3	
12	3 16	8 18	27	loins	4	
13	4 1	8 46	21		5	
14	4 49	9 21	1	thighs	6	
15	5 40	10 2	15		7	
16	6 34	10 56	27		8	
17	7 28	11 55	23	knees	9	
18	8 22	morn	22		10	
19	9 15	1 3	22	legs	11	
20	10 6	2 13	19		12	
21	10 56	rises	22	feet	13	
22	11 45	5 38	17		14	
23	morn.	6 8	17	head	15	
24	0 35	6 32	17		16	
25	1 27	7 4	8	neck	17	
26	2 22	7 42	17		18	
27	3 21	8 29	17	arms	19	
28	4 22	9 27	16		20	
29	5 25	10 33	25	breast	21	
30	6 26	11 39	14		22	

The hour of confession has arrived. It is God that impels me to

Tenth Month, October, 31 days.

MOON'S PHASES.

☉ <i>New Moon</i>	D	H	M	☾ <i>Full Moon</i>	D	H	M
	7	8	53 M		22	11	12 M
☾ <i>First Quart.</i>	15	1	4 A	☾ <i>Last Quar.</i>	29	2	40 M

	D	D	Aspects and Observations.	☾ rises	☾ sets	☾ fast	☾'s decl. S.
3	TU	1	♂ sets 7 52	6 10	5 50	' "	° '
4	WE	2		6 11	5 49	10 29	3 24
5	TH	3	♂ sets 8 23	6 13	5 47	10 48	3 47
6	FR	4	7 *'s rises 7 30	6 14	5 46	11 6	4 11
7	SA	5	Aldebaran rises 8 45	6 15	5 45	11 24	4 34
1	F	6	<i>Cold rain if</i>	6 17	5 43	11 42	4 57
2	MO	7	♂ ♂ ♀ wind be W. snow	6 18	5 42	11 59	5 20
3	TU	8	<i>if east.</i>	6 19	5 41	12 16	5 43
4	WE	9		6 20	5 40	12 32	6 6
5	TH	10	☾ in Apogee	6 22	5 38	12 48	6 29
6	FR	11	Sirius rises 12 29	6 24	5 36	13 4	6 52
7	SA	12	♂ ♂ ♀	6 25	5 35	13 19	7 14
1	F	13	♂ sets 7 37	☾ 6 26	5 34	13 34	7 37
2	MO	14	♂ sets 7 40	6 27	5 33	13 48	7 59
3	TU	15	<i>Snow and rain.</i>	6 28	5 32	14 1	8 22
4	WE	16	♂ in Sup. ♂ ☉	6 29	5 31	14 14	8 44
5	TH	17	Antares sets 7 7	6 31	5 29	14 27	9 6
6	FR	18		6 32	5 28	14 39	9 28
7	SA	19		6 34	5 26	14 50	9 50
1	F	20	♂ ♂ ♀	6 35	5 25	15 1	10 12
2	MO	21	♂ ♂ ☉ <i>Cold with</i>	6 36	5 24	15 11	10 33
3	TU	22	☾ in Peri, v. high winds.	6 38	5 22	15 20	10 55
4	WE	23	♂ in ☿.	6 39	5 21	15 29	11 16
5	TH	24	♀ stationa	6 40	5 20	15 37	11 37
6	FR	25		6 42	5 18	15 44	11 58
7	SA	26	Fomalhaut south 8 46 ☾	6 43	5 17	15 51	12 18
1	F	27		6 44	5 16	15 57	12 39
2	MO	28	♂ sets 7 16	6 46	5 14	16 2	12 59
3	TU	29	♂ sets 16 47	6 47	5 13	16 7	13 19
4	WE	30	<i>Snow and stormy.</i>	6 48	5 12	16 10	13 39
5	TH	31		6 49	5 11	16 13	13 59

Vicious habits are so great a stain to human nature, and so odious in themselves, that every person, actuated by right reason, would avoid them, though he was sure they would be always concealed both from God and man, and had no future punishment entailed upon them.

D	Q								
M	south.	rises	pl.	domin.	age				
1	7 23	morn.	27		23				
2	8 15	0 49	Q	heart	24				
3	9 3	1 56	23		25				
4	9 48	2 53	W	bowels	26				
5	10 29	4 2	18		27				
6	11 10	5 0	—	reins	28				
7	even.	sets	12		29				
8	0 30	5 58	24		0				
9	1 12	6 21	M	loins	1				
10	1 57	6 47	18		2				
11	2 44	7 20	†	thighs	3				
12	3 34	8 1	11		4				
13	4 25	8 47	23		5				
14	5 18	9 15	W	knees	6				
15	6 11	10 47	18		7				
16	7 3	11 53	W	legs	8				
17	7 53	morn.	14		9				
18	8 42	1 2	27		10				
19	9 31	2 10	X	feet	11				
20	10 20	rises	25		12				
21	11 11	4 30	Y	head	13				
22	morn.	4 59	25		14				
23	0 6	5 38	X	neck	15				
24	1 4	6 19	26		16				
25	2 7	7 4	II	arms	17				
26	3 2	8 18	25		18				
27	4 16	9 28	—	breast	19				
28	5 16	10 41	24		20				
29	6 11	11 47	Q	heart	21				
30	7 1	morn.	20		22				
31	7 47	0 55	W	bowels	23				

at the 16th,
 22d and 30th of this month,
 the day before or day after.

25 speak. To win you I have lost
 26 my soul—yes, yes, I am a murder-
 27 ess! She smiled upon me in the
 28 joyous affection of her young
 29 heart—but I gave her the fatal
 0 drug! Adelaide clasped her white
 1 arms about my neck, but I admin-
 2 istered the poison! Take me to
 3 your arms! I have lost my soul
 4 for you, and mine you must be!
 5 ‘She spread her long, white
 6 arms,’ said the sexton, rising in
 7 the excitement of the moment,
 8 and assuming the attitude he des-
 9 cribed; ‘and then,’ continued he,
 10 in a hollow voice, ‘at that mo-
 11 ment came the thunder and the
 12 flash, and the guilty woman fell
 13 dead on the floor.’ The counte-
 14 nance of the narrator expressed
 15 all the horror that he felt.

12 ‘And the bridegroom,’ asked I,
 13 ‘the husband of the destroyer and
 14 the victim; what became of him?’
 15 ‘He stands before you!’ was the
 16 thrilling answer.

17 To endure present evils with
 18 patience, and wait for expected
 19 good with long-suffering is equal-
 20 ly the part of the Christian and
 21 the Hero. Those evils would
 22 break a proud man’s heart, that
 23 would not break an humble Chris-
 24 tian’s sleep.

Positive men err most of any.

3	TU	5			6	55	5	5	10	16	15	16
4	WE	6	☾ in Apogee	<i>Snow and</i>	6	57	5	3	16	13	15	34
5	TH	7		<i>stormy.</i>	6	58	5	2	16	10	16	10
6	FR	8			6	59	5	1	16	6	16	28
7	SA	9		☾	7	0	5	0	16	1	16	45
1	F	10	♀ at gr. brilliancy.		7	1	4	59	15	56	17	3
2	MO	11	♀ rises 3 19		7	2	4	58	15	49	17	20
3	TU	12	♂ sets 7 6		7	3	4	57	15	42	17	36
4	WE	13	7 *'s south 12 24		7	4	4	56	15	34	17	52
5	TH	14	♀ in ♋.	<i>Snow and</i>	7	5	4	55	15	26	18	8
6	FR	15		<i>stormy</i>	7	6	4	54	15	16	18	24
7	SA	16	♀ ó h.		7	7	4	53	15	6	18	39
1	F	17	Aldebaran south 12 56		7	8	4	52	14	54	18	54
2	MO	18	Regulus rises 11 36		7	9	4	51	14	42	19	9
3	TU	19	<i>Fair and frost, if wind</i>		7	10	4	50	14	29	19	23
4	WE	20	☾ in Perigee	<i>be N or</i>	7	11	4	49	14	16	19	37
5	TH	21	<i>N. E. rain or snow if S.</i>		7	12	4	48	14	1	19	51
6	FR	22	☿ stationary or S. W.	☾	7	12	4	48	13	46	20	4
7	SA	23	♀ greatest Hel. lat. S.		7	13	4	47	13	30	20	17
1	F	24	♀ sets 3 9		7	14	4	46	13	13	20	29
2	MO	25	♂ sets 6 59		7	15	4	45	12	55	20	41
3	TU	26			7	16	4	44	12	36	20	53
4	WE	27	♂ rises 4 34	<i>Fair</i>	7	17	4	43	12	17	21	4
5	TH	28		<i>weather.</i>	7	18	4	42	11	57	21	15
6	FR	29			7	18	4	42	11	36	21	26
7	SA	30	♀ gr. elong.		7	19	4	41	11	15	21	36

The virtue of prosperity is temperance; the virtue of adversity is fortitude, which in mortals is the more heroical virtue. Prosperity is the blessing of the Old Testament—adversity is the blessing of the New, which carrieth the greater benediction, and the clearer revelation of God's favor.

One of eminent learning said, that such as would excel in arts, must excel in industry.

1	8	29	1	59	15	
2	9	9	2	59	27	
3	9	49	3	56	≡	reins
4	10	29	4	53	21	
5	11	11	5	58	∩	loins
6	even.		sets	15		
7	0	41	5	22	27	
8	0	30	6	2	↑	thighs
9	2	21	6	43	20	
10	3	13	7	35	∨	knees
11	4	5	8	37	15	
12	4	56	9	41	27	
13	5	46	10	48	≡	legs
14	6	34	11	55	12	
15	7	20	morn.	26		
16	8	7	1	10	×	feet
17	8	56	2	14	19	
18	9	47	3	23	∩	head
19	10	43	rises	18		
20	11	44	4	9	8	neck
21	morn.		4	56	19	
22	0	49	5	58	∏	arms
23	1	56	7	8	19	
24	3	1	8	22	≡	breast
25	4	1	9	38	19	
26	4	56	10	44	∩	heart
27	5	13	11	50	16	
28	6	27	morn.	29		
29	7	9	0	52	∩	bowels
30	7	49	1	49	24	

n, 14th,

24 20th and 24th of this month,
25 the day before or day after.

26
27 TOWN-MAKING--anecdote.--Those
28 who have been to the west, where
29 towns are made in a night, (on pa-
1 per,) sold in an hour, and built up
2 in a week, have seen the arts of
3 speculators who purchase quarter
4 sections of land, lay it out into
5 town lots, make a map of the sur-
6 rounding country, laying down
7 rail-roads and canals, all centreing
8 in their towns, which is thus de-
9 monstrated to be the future 'Em-
10 porium of the West.'

8 The following anecdote takes
9 off this practice of town-specula-
10 tion to a T. It is from a Roches-
11 ter paper.

11 A fellow who had observed all
12 the sellers of land, and had seen
13 all the canals, rail-roads, &c.
14 which had been built, on paper,
15 brought a noble cow to one of the
16 great land markets to sell. He
17 placed her by the side of one of
18 the land-offices, and offered her
19 for sale.

19 'What is your price?' asked
20 one.

20 'It is sixty dollars,' he answer-
21 ed.

22 'Sixty thunders!' vociferated an
23 astonished countryman, 'why is
24 she so much?'

24 'Here is a map of her,' said the

28	2	49	18	
9	3	48	m	loins
52	4	50	12	
37	5	47	23	
ven.	sets	↑		thighs
0	17	4	44	17
1	9	5	31	29
2	2	6	29	v knees
2	53	7	34	24
0	3	43	8	41 w legs
1	4	30	9	47 19
12	5	16	10	55 X feet
13	6	1	morn.	15
14	6	47	0	1 29
15	7	35	1	4 v head
16	8	27	2	16 27
17	9	23	3	36 8 neck
18	10	25	4	49 27
19	11	31	rises	II arms
20	morn.	4	45	27
21	0	38	5	58 26 breast
22	1	42	7	14 26
23	2	40	8	26 R heart
24	3	33	9	36 24
25	4	20	10	41 m bowels
26	5	4	11	38 20
27	5	45	morn.	= reins
28	6	26	0	40 15
29	7	7	1	42 26
30	7	49	2	40 m loins
31	8	33	3	39 20

less, may be expected about
the 5th, 11th, 20th and 28th
of this month, the day be-
fore or day after.

fellow, pulling a paper with a large
cow-picture upon it, out of his
breeches pocket; and he continu-
ed, 'you see here the great Wild-
cat Turnpike runs immediately
under her tail, to the city of the
swamps; Loon Lake Canal will
intersect her head on the lop horn
side, and the Cataract Rail-road
passes directly through her! Gen-
tlemen, don't all speak at once.'

And, Mr. Editor, lest I might
be called guilty of setting my
friends uneasy to go west, I will
subscribe myself,

Yours, truly,
A HOOSHER.

Bots in Horses.—We are inform-
ed by a gentleman living near this
place, that sage tea is an infallible
remedy for bots in horses. It re-
lieves them in a few minutes.

Bangor paper.

If opinion has cried your name
up, let modesty cry your heart
down, lest you deceive it, or it
deceive you; there is no less dan-
ger in a great name than in a bad
one; and no less honor in deserv-
ing of praise, than in the enduring
it.

Be a friend to thyself, and others
will be so too.

merciful—Scipio was mild—Hannibal was reserved for Washington to blend them all in one, and like the lovely *chef d'œuvre* of the Grecian artist, to exhibit in one glow of associated beauty, the pride of every model, and the perfection of every master. As a general, he marshalled the peasant into a veteran, and supplied by discipline the absence of experience. As a statesman, he enlarged the policy of the cabinet into the most comprehensive system of general advantage; and such was the wisdom of his views, and the philosophy of his councils, that to the soldier and statesman, he added the character of the sage. A conqueror, he was untainted with the crime of blood—a revolutionist, he was free from any stain of treason; for aggression commenced the contest, and his country called him to the command. Liberty unsheathed the sword,—necessity stained—victory returned it. If he had paused, history might doubt what station to assign him; whether at the head of her citizens or soldiers; her heroes or her patriots. But the last glorious act crowned his career, and banished hesitation. Who, like Washington, after having freed his country, resigned her crown and retired to a cottage, rather than reign in a capitol! Immortal man! He took from the battle its crime, and from the conquest its chains—he left the victorious the glory of his self-denial, and turned upon the vanquished only the retribution of his mercy. Happy America; the lightnings of heaven could not resist your sage—the temptations of earth could not corrupt your soldier.

REPUTATION.—Regard your good name as the richest jewel you can possibly be possessed of—for credit is like fire, when once you have kindled it, you may easily preserve it, but if you once extinguish it, you will find it an arduous task to rekindle it again.

them. In the rage of the moment, Maclean threatened the man with instant death, but this punishment was commuted to a whipping or scourging in the face, which, in those feudal times, was considered degrading punishment, fit only for the lowest of menials, and the worst of crimes. The clansman burned with anger and revenge. He rushed forward, plucked the heir of Lochbuy from the arms of the nurse, bounded to the rocks, and in a moment stood on an almost inaccessible cliff, projecting over the water. The screams of the agonized mother and chief at the awful jeopardy in which their only child was placed, may be easily conceived. Maclean implored the man to give him back his son, and expressed his deep contrition for the degradation he had, in a moment of excitement, inflicted on his clansman.—The other replied, that the only condition on which he would consent to the restitution was, that Maclean himself should bear his back to the cord, and be publicly scourged as he had been! In despair the chief consented, saying he would submit to any thing if his child were but restored. To the great astonishment of the clan, Maclean bore the insult, and when it was completed begged that the clansman might return from his perilous situation with the young chief. The man regarded him with a smile of demoniac revenge, and, lifting high the child in the air, plunged with him into the abyss below. The sea closed over them, and neither, it is said, ever emerged from the tempestuous whirlpools and basaltic caverns that yawned around them, and still threaten the experienced navigators of the shores of Mull.

TIME.—Time is lent us to be laid out in God's service, to his honor, and we cannot be too diligent in it, if we consider that time is precious, short, passing, uncertain, irrevocable when gone, and that for which we must be accountable.

My dairy, Mr. Slang.

‘No, my dairy.’

‘Say our dairy, say our,’ screamed Mrs. Slang, seizing the poker.

‘My dairy, my dairy,’ vociferated the husband.

‘Our dairy, our dairy!’ re-echoed the wife, emphasising each ‘our’ with a blow of the poker upon the back of the cringing spouse.

Mr. Slang retreated under the bed clothes; Mr Slang’s hat was brushed off. Mr. Slang remained under several minutes waiting for a calm. At length his wife saw him thrusting his head out at the foot of the bed, much like a turtle from his shell.

‘What are you looking for, Mr. Slang?’ said she. ‘I’m looking my dear,’ snivelled he, ‘to see if I can see anything of our hat.’ The struggle was over. It was our horses, our dairy, and on the next Sunday morning, he very humbly asked her if he might not wear our clean linen breeches to church.

Bougainville, when touching at Otaheite, was accustomed to leave there a couple of some kind of European domestic animals. In his last voyage, he had on board a Capuchin and a Franciscan, who as is well known, differ from each other in the single circumstance of one having the beard shaved, and in the other suffering it to grow on the chin. The natives, who had successively admired the various animals as they were disembarked, whether bulls and cows, hogs and sows, or he and she goats, shouted with joy at the appearance of the Capuchin. ‘What a noble animal! what a pity there is not a pair!’ Scarcely was the wish expressed, when the shaven Franciscan made his appearance. ‘Huzza,’ exclaimed the savages, ‘we’ve got the male and the female!’

FATAL JOKE.—Never ask questions in a hurry. "Tom, a word with you." "Be quick then, I'm in a hurry." "What did you give your sick horse t'other day?" "A pint of turpentine." John hurries home and administers the same dose to a favorite charger, who, strange to say, drops off defunct in half an hour. His opinion of his friend Tom's veterinary ability is somewhat staggered. He meets him the next day: "Well, Tom!" "Well, John what is it." "I gave my horse a pint of turpentine, and it killed him as dead as Julius Cæsar." "So it did mine!"

If the mind be gay and joyous, appetite will be comparatively clean, digestion effective and rapid, and nutrition complete. Whereas if the mind be harassed by care and anxiety, or devoured by grief, envy, jealousy, and other troubles and disquieting passions, the healthy calls of appetite will be scarcely known, and digestion and nutrition will be equally impaired.—*Combe*.

Remember this: If you go duly to church, you will be well spoken of, though you have no other merit; if you neglect that duty, you will be ill spoken of though you have no other fault.

"What makes all doctrines plain and clear?
About two hundred pounds a year.
And what was proved quite plain before,
Proved false again;—two hundred more."

A MONK SEWED UP BY MISTAKE.—Branfome tells the following anecdote of the crafty and cruel Louis XI, of France. Once, when in public, he perceived a certain captain whom he knew to be ill affected to him. The monarch winked to his provost. Tristan thought the object of the king's justice was a fat monk, who stood next to the captain; accordingly the good monk was seized, sewn in a sack, and flung into the river. The captain, who saw the mistake, had in the mean time fled to Amiens. The King reproached Tristan, who avowed the error. 'Pasques Dieu!' exclaimed the monarch; 'twas the best monk in my dominions. Let half a dozen masses be said for him to-morrow.'

A SLEEPY HAT.—"Why, Bob, what a sleepy hat you've got!" "A Sleepy Hat! What do you mean by that?" "Why, it must be sleepy, it's so long since it had a *nap*."

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